

“Against the Constitutional Amendment,” as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by the said Article 14 of the Constitution.

Approved April 7, 1910.

CHAPTER 318.

AN ACT to amend Section 4 of Article 3, title “Legislative Department,” of the Constitution of this State, and to provide for the submission of said amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland* (three-fifths of all the members of each of the two houses concurring); That the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Section 4, Article 3, title “Legislative Department,” of the Constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal qualified voters thereof, as herein provided, said section shall supersede and stand in the place and instead of Section 4 of said Article 3 of the Constitution of Maryland:

4. As soon as may be, after the taking and publishing of the National Census of nineteen hundred and ten, or after the enumeration of the population of this State, under the authority thereof, there shall be an apportionment of representation in the House of Delegates, to be made on the following basis, to wit: Each of the several counties of the State having a population of eighteen thousand souls or less shall be entitled to two Delegates; and every county having a population of over eighteen thousand and less than twenty-eight thousand souls, shall be entitled to three Delegates; and every county having a population of twenty-eight thousand and less than forty thousand souls, shall be entitled to four Delegates; and every county having a population of forty thousand and less than fifty-five thousand souls, shall be entitled to five Delegates; and every county having a population of fifty-five thousand souls and upward, shall be entitled to six Delegates, and no more; and each of the four legislative districts of the City of Baltimore shall be entitled to one Delegate for each one-sixth of the population of the largest county in the State; provided, however, that the representation of Baltimore City in the House of Delegates shall never exceed one-third of the membership of the House of Delegates; and provided, also, that the representation of Baltimore City in the House of Delegates shall never